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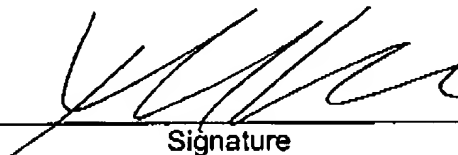
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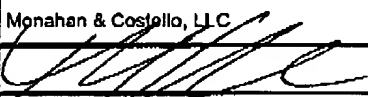
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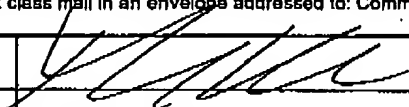
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	First Named Inventor	Brian F. Monahan
	Art Unit	3823
	Examiner Name	Johnna R. Loftis
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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 09/808,440 First Named Applicant: Brian F. Monahan
Examiner: Holanna R. Loftis Art Unit: 3623 Status of Application: Final Rejection
mailed 10/24/2006

Tentative Participants:

(1) Brian F. Monahan (2) Thomas J. Monahan
(3) _____ (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: THU 12/21/06Proposed Time: 10:00 (AM/PM)

[Alternative AM times may be suggested by the Examiner if this date is not convenient.]

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☒ Telephonic (2) ☐ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Ref., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art d'fon ('193) Koppel ('575) + Cannon ('005)	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>Rejected §103</u>	<u>claims 1-15</u>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) <u>Rejected §112</u>	<u>claims 1-15</u>	<u>Support in Specification</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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(4) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Continuation Sheet Attached					

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

Applicant wishes to discuss technical issues distinguishing the cited art from the claimed invention
and (2) to discuss support in the Specification for the claimed invention.

An Interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.

NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature

Thomas J. Monahan

Examiner/SPE Signature

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